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FROM : SAC, NEW YORK (105-103115)

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SUBJECT: CIVIL RIGHTS MOVEMENT-NORTHERN IRELAND

Enclosed for the Bureau are eleven (11) copies of a self-explanatory LHM dated and captioned as above.

The following appropriate agencies have been alerted to the demonstrations referred to in LHM.

SA [redacted] Secret Service, locally.
[redacted] State Department,
Office of Security NYC
Detective [redacted] SIS, NYCPD

USMUN was alerted by SA [redacted]

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(1 - 97-5299)(INAC)
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1 - Supervisor #311

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A representative of the British Consulate had been notified by Supervisor [REDACTED]

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NYO is not planning to cover demonstrations mentioned in LHM, and will send further communications on this matter only in the event of the receipt of information through established sources concerning arrests or other untoward events taking place in connection with the scheduled demonstrations.

PROTEST CONTEMPT BY BRITISH GOVERNMENT FOR IRISH PEOPLE IN NEW YORK

Rally Against British Troops Outside Felt Forum Madison Square Garden

8th AVENUE AND 34th STREET

Saturday, January 22 - 6 to 9 P.M.

Sunday, January 23 - 3 to 6 P.M.

SPEAKERS:

IVAN BARR

(Chairman of Northern Ireland
Civil Rights Association)

ELLEN MULLIN

(Coordinator National Association
for Irish Freedom) N.Y.

The Scots Guards have arrived in New York. The American people are probably asking the question "Why have the Guards come to town?"

The Irish people have little doubt but that the Guards have come to town to flaunt on the American people their ill-gotten glory, recently received from their repressive tactics in Ireland.

This regiment of the now ill-famed British Army has just completed a tour of active service duty in Northern Ireland. During that tour of duty they have been responsible for such terrorist activities as:

(1) Carrying out raids into the minority ghetto areas in the early hours of the morning. During these raids the Guards dragged fathers, sons and brothers from their beds and carried them off to the torture centers and concentration camps.

(2) Lifted children from their beds and physically searched them; also harassed and intimidated the womenfolk.

(3) Smashed furniture and household fittings while carrying out house searches.

(4) Killed and wounded innocent civilians by use of live ammunition and rubber bullets.

(5) Exposed children and old-age pensioners to serious danger to health, by saturating ghetto areas with C.S. gas.

(6) During December the Guards arrested and interrogated for 4 hours 5 members of the executive committee of the Northern Ireland Civil Rights Association.

We are confident that the democratically-minded people of New York will want to express their abhorrence of the violent and repressive campaign at present being carried out by the British Army in Northern Ireland.

Signed: IVAN BARR, Chairman,
Northern Ireland Civil Rights Association

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